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MEMORANDUM

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From: Mark Wissinger, P.E.

Construction Engineer

Date: March 16, 2006

Subject: Supplemental Specification Revision: 108.07.3 Working Day Contracts

The Construction Administration Services Bureau is proposing revisions to Standard Specification, 108.07.3. Following the Standard Specification Revision Process outlined in the Construction Engineer's Memorandum dated January 9, 2002 the following information is provided.

- 1. Standard Specification, 108.07.3 Working Day Contracts will be modified.
- 2. The Proposed Draft of the change is attached along with this memorandum.
- 3. Revision to the Standard Specification is needed to define days that Contractors are not allowed to work in conjunction with major holiday weekends.
- 4. Those impacted by the change include:

Contractors, EPM's and MDT Field Crews

5. The following individuals were consulted and/or involved in developing the proposed revisions:

MDT District Construction Engineers, MDT CAS Bureau

It is requested that comments on **the proposed revisions only**, be returned to the Specification Section no later than April 28, 2006.

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Rescind the seventh paragraph and replace with the following.

Do not work on holidays, Sundays, or the days described below without the Engineer's approval. Work done on Saturdays, Sundays, and approved holidays will be assessed as working days. Do not work after 12:00 noon on Friday, or on Saturday and Sunday prior to Memorial Day (last Monday in May) and Labor Day (first Monday in September). Do not work after 12:00 noon on Friday, or on Saturday or Sunday prior to Independence Day (July 4) when July 4 is on a Saturday, Sunday or Monday. A working day will not be assessed against the contract for work performed up until 12:00 noon on Friday under the above circumstances.